Section 1

PROGRAM INSTALLATION

1.1 INTRODUCTION

The ASSET family of programs requires a system with Windows 95/98/NT/2000. The ASSET CD-ROM supports the Autoload feature available under Windows 95/98/NT/2000 with some CD-ROM drives. ASSET is usually installed using a CD-ROM or set of floppy diskettes, however it can also be installed over the network. The following sections describe the various methods of installing ASSET.

1.2 INSTALLING WITH CD-ROM

1.2.1 AUTOMATIC INSTALLATION: WINDOWS 95 & NT 4.0

When the ASSET CD is loaded into a CD-ROM drive, which supports the Autoload feature, a startup dialog box will be presented. Select the *Install* button to start the process. As the installation program runs, messages will appear prompting you to provide information as necessary. Type the requested information and click the *Next* button where appropriate. When the installation is complete, you will find a new folder, Ship Design Tools, under the *Programs* folder of the *Start* menu.

If your CD-ROM drive does not support the Autoload feature, or this feature is not activated for your system, the manual installation procedures below should be used.

1.2.2 MANUAL INSTALLATION UNDER WINDOWS NT 3.51

1) Insert the ASSET Program CD into the CD-ROM drive.

2) Open Program Manager

3) Select *Run* from the *File Menu*.

4) Type this on the command line of the Run dialog box:

      `e:\setup`

      Type a different letter instead of '**e**' if you are using a different drive.

Messages appear during the installation prompting you to provide information as necessary. Type the requested information and click the *Next* button where appropriate. A program group will have to be created manually using the normal Program Manager; File menu procedures.

1.2.3 MANUAL INSTALLATION UNDER WINDOWS 95/NT 4.0

1) Insert the ASSET Program CD into the CD-ROM drive.

2) From the *Start* menu, choose *Settings: Control Panel*.

3) Click on the *Add/Remove Programs* icon.

      The Add/Remove Program dialog box opens.

4) Click on the *Install/Uninstall* tab.

5) Click on the *Install* button and then select *Next*. The system will scan the CD and locate the Setup.exe program. Press *Finish* to start the install process

Messages appear during the installation prompting you to provide information as necessary. Type the requested information and click the *Next* button where appropriate. When the installation is complete, you will find a new folder Ship Design Tools under the *Programs* folder of the *Start* menu.

1.3   INSTALLING WITH DISKETTES

1.3.1   INSTALLING UNDER WINDOWS NT 3.51

1) Insert the ASSET Program 1 disk in a diskette drive.

2) Open Program Manager

3) Select *Run* from the *File Menu*.

4) Type this on the command line of the Run dialog box:

      `a:setup`

      Type a different letter instead of **a** if you are using a different drive.

Messages appear during the installation prompting you to provide information and to insert disks as necessary. Type the requested information and click the *Next* button where appropriate. A program group will have to be created manually using the normal Program Manager; File menu procedures.

1.3.2   INSTALLING UNDER WINDOWS 95 & NT 4.0

1) Insert the ASSET Program 1 disk in a diskette drive.

2) From the *Start* menu, choose *Settings: Control Panel*.

3) Click on the *Add/Remove Programs* icon.

      The Add/Remove Program dialog box opens.

4) Click on the *Install/Uninstall* tab.

5) Click on the *Install* button and then select *Next*. The system will scan the floppy drive and locate the Setup.exe program. Press *Finish* to start the install process

Messages appear during the installation prompting you to provide information and to insert disks as necessary. Type the requested information and click the *Next* button where appropriate. When the installation is complete, you will find a new folder Ship Design Tools under the *Programs* folder of the *Start* menu.

1.4   INSTALLING OVER THE NETWORK

1.4.1   INSTALLING UNDER WINDOWS NT 3.51

1) Open File Manager.

2) Select *Disk - Connect Network Drive*

3) Browse and connect to the ASSET install directory.

4) Change directory to **disk1**.

5) Run **setup.exe**

Messages appear during the installation prompting you to provide information as necessary. Type the requested information and click the *Next* button where appropriate. A program group will have to be created manually using the normal Program Manager; File menu procedures.

1.4.2   INSTALLING UNDER WINDOWS 95 & NT 4.0

1) From the *Start* menu, choose *Settings: Control Panel*.

2) Click on the *Add/Remove Programs* icon.

        The Add/Remove Program dialog box opens.

3) Click on the *Install/Uninstall* tab.

4) Click on the *Install* button.

5) When asked to enter the command line for the install program. Select *Browse*.

6) Locate the ASSET install directory from the Network Neighborhood. Select **setup.exe** from the **disk1** directory.

Messages appear during the installation prompting you to provide information as necessary. Type the requested information and click the *Next* button where appropriate. When the installation is complete, you will find a new folder Ship Design Tools under the *Programs* folder of the *Start* menu.